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JEROME D. BROWN et al.

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Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 for withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment dated August 30, 2007. The application was not, in fact, abandoned, and the Issue Fee/Publication Fee transmittal was properly filled out and transmitted on June 13, 2007, which is within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (i.e., April 11, 2007).

**Submission**

Enclosed with this Petition is (1) the facsimile Return Receipt Confirmation of the Issue Fee transmittal, (2) the regular confirmation report, and (3) the Issue Fee Transmittal.

**Request for Withdrawal of Abandonment**

In light of the above, withdrawal of the holding of abandonment is respectfully requested. Because the Notice of Abandonment was issued in error, no fee is required.

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